Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph appearing on page 1, line 22 to page 2, line 4 with the following amended paragraph:

-- However, authorization levels are used in many areas of data processing technology; for example, in the banking industry or when programming telephone features. Thus, in the article "Programming Internet Telephony Services", J. Rosenberg, J. Lennox and H. Schulzrinne, IEEE Network, May/June 1999, page 42 to page 48, it is explained how various user groups can be assigned various authorization levels for programming telephone services. It is proposed that users with the priority authorization level can directly actuate a network gateway unit via an interface. This interface is referred to as a CG interface (Common Gateway Interface). For users with the basic authorization level it should be possible to carry out their services with a special call processing language. The language CPL (Call Processing Language) is used as the call processing language, such language being currently at a design stage (work in progress), see Draft-ietf-iptel-cply-*.txt at the web address ~~www.ietf.org~~ www.ietf.org. --

Please replace the paragraph appearing on page 10, lines 2-6 with the following amended paragraph:

-- This source text can be found in the draft (work in progress) "CPL: Language for User Control of Internet Telephony Services", by Lennox/Schulzrinne. This draft can be called up on the web page with the address ~~www.ietf.org~~ www.ietf.org under the name "Draft-ietf-iptel-cpl-02.txt". In particular, reference is made to Figure 24 of the draft and to the associated explanations --